

Transactions connected with
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government abroad, in the place of Baring Brothers, add another chapter of corruption and crime to the Government Administration. The Barings have been the foreign agent of our government for many years. But Henry Claws, becoming an active Radical politician and manager, demanded that the Barings should be displaced, and that his house should be substituted. This was a request of great magnitude and as there was believed to be "millions in it" for those who were

The secrets of the corrupt transaction are coming to light in consequence of a suit having been brought by one of the invisible partners to the profit of the other. It is already known that certain facts that it is already known that the next House of Representatives must consider it to be a duty to take them up where the Bankruptcy Commission left off, and to bring them to their ultimate and full significance. The responsibility for the change for the Barings to Clews & Co. is obviously divided between Mr. Boutwell, who was the first to suggest it, and Mr. C. When it was made, and the President. In the testimony, the matter hung all some two years before it was decided upon. The question is, who hesitated? Was it Mr. Boutwell, or was it Mr. C. Boutwell? The latter is understood

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Q. Did any other person have an interest in your one-quarter of profits? A. Lewis Dent was to have one-eighth of the entire profits; at the time that was the understanding—April or May, 1871; Judge Dent was a lawyer related to President Grant's marriage.

It appears that the profits of Clews' agency for two years amount to \$600,000. According to Mr. Cher, that would put \$75,000 in pocket of Judge Dent. Beside

Cheever there is another reputed pioneer, James Van Buren by name, whom Mr. Cheever himself knows nothing. He was to have his share of the profits also, but nobody appears to know out of whose portions it was to have come.

The next Congress will doubtless unravel what there is left of this mystery so interesting to the country.

Examiner.

OUR RECLAIMED LAND.—Speak of our lands along the lower Sacramento river, a writer for a San Francisco paper gives the following interesting items: "The season just closed has been a good one for the sweet land farmers in Sacramento county. On Grand Island one farmer has \$12,000 worth of potatoes from 100 acres of land. On Brannan Island

individual sold from fifteen a \$2,000 worth of potatoes, or \$200 an acre. This same person bought acres early this year for \$2,400, cleared the purchase money and turned over on fifteen acres. On the 65 acres he had hay, grain, alfalfa, which paid him enormously. success of this individual shows on the tules, as in the highland 'little farm well tilled' pays better than large one." We know of

EDITORIAL QUALIFICATION. — details of a reporter's or editor's work can only be mastered during years of close observation. It is not alone necessary that their knowledge be ex-

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sive; their tact must be unusual; they
must be able to apprehend readily the
workings of the public mind; they must
own literary ability; they must be
them to treat all news in a style
once artistic, striking and grasp-
These are no heaven-vouchsafed gifts,
but the fruits of persevering appli-
cation. Journalism as a profession
not inferior to law or to medicine.
its status is not recognized, it is

cause incompetent cads have brought it into contempt. It will be placed in its right light when reporters and editors prepare themselves for their various duties by conscientious preparatory work, and make it a point to resist all attempts, by whomsoever made, to lower their profession in the estimation of the public.

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SHEDDY SHOES.—One of the friends

which have come to light in connection with the Quartermaster's Bureau is in the matter of shoes, the sole of which are found to be filled with mince-meat of broken felt and covered with leather about the thickness of blotting paper. The shoes only fourteen days. These shoes have been delivered at the Quartermaster's department at Philadelphia, and large quantities of them have been inspected and passed. In case the shoes

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not last, \$1 is deducted from the ser-
pay of the enlisted men, and this
caused a mutiny in several instanc-

The Yolo Democrat,

With Two-Page Supplement;
MAKING SIX PAGES EVERY WEEK.

WOODLAND, CAL.
Friday, October 29th, 1875.

FEARFUL.—The Sacramento Herald thinks that in a few months the people of the State will deeply regret that the Republicans did not nominate some other candidate than Carn for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

IMMIGRATION.—The daily arrivals of passengers from the East overland are again very numerous. This is usual just before winter, however, as many come to this coast to escape the severity of the winter climate east of the mountains.

ELECTION.—The election in Oregon on Monday last resulted in the success of the Democratic ticket, Lane for Congress, receiving from one to two thousand majority. In Montana Territory it is thought the Republicans were successful.

DAIRY FARM.—The Sonoma Democrat gives the product of the 1,000 acre dairy farm of August Myers, in that county, for the past year ending Sept. 30th, at \$10,520, from which expenses amounting to \$4,400 are to be deducted, leaving a clear balance of \$6,120.

CONDEMNED.—The telegraph informs us that nearly all the papers throughout the Northwest, including the Chicago press, criticize and condemn the appointment of Chandler, as Secretary. Many denounce it as an outrage to which the people should not tamely submit.

AID FOR THE SUFFERERS.—Wells Fargo & Co. will receive and forward to the sufferers by the late terrible disaster at Virginia City any articles the liberally disposed may leave at their office. There is a great many needing aid in clothing, bedding, food and money. Immediate relief is what is needed.

WONDERFUL SUCCESS.—The San Francisco Daily Morning Ledger, published in connection with the Evening Post, has been enlarged to the size of the latter and come out a full fledged, well conducted daily paper, complete in all its departments and giving more reading matter than most of the older dailies. Success to the Ledger.

HARMONIOUS.—At Vicksburg, Mississippi, there is a better state of feeling among the people socially and politically, and better times are predicted in consequence. The Republicans have endorsed the Democratic county nominees, and the utmost harmony on the political question now prevails among the whites and blacks.

CHANGED HANDS.—Judge O. B. Powers has sold out the *Southern Republican*, published at Salina, to C. F. Montgomery and W. N. Bowen, late of Oakland. The Judge owns an interest in the Oakland Transcript, and has removed to that city. We welcome the new proprietors of the *Republican*, and hope they will find the change to their advantage.

DASTARDLY.—The course of the persons who so vilely slandered Dr. Fitzgerald just upon the eve of the election could not have been more base. The charges brought against him are said to have their foundation in occurrences which took place years ago, and if all should have been put forth in time, so that they could either be sustained by proof or refuted beyond doubt. It looks like a dastardly stab in the back of an innocent victim by a hired assassin.

INFORMATION WANTED.—During the past year a gentleman named George Duvall died in California. He was formerly from Maryland, and related to a family named Pugh. They received notice of his death from some one in California, but that has been lost, and they desire to obtain information in regard to the circumstances and locality of his death. Anyone possessing the desired information will be doing the family a service by addressing Wm. H. Martin, 634 California Street, San Francisco.

KERN COUNTY GAZETTE.—The first number of this new paper came to hand the present week. It is published at Bakersfield, Kern county, by J. P. Luthieum, late of the *Vallejo Daily Independent*, and is a well gotten up paper. A leading article taken from it—"Victory in Defeat"—appears on our first page. Mr. Luthieum is a clear and able writer. We hope he has at last found a field wherein his talents will be appreciated and that he will also find it financially profitable. The *Gazette* is placed upon our exchange list.

HOOD ALSTON.—This talented young gentleman, who so recently entertained our people at Central Hall some time ago with a recitation of original and selected poems, and with which his audience was highly delighted, we see by the *Chronicle* of the 25th, held forth at Dasherway Hall, San Francisco, the evening previous. We append what the *Chronicle* says of that part of the entertainment: At Dasherway Hall last night the feature of the entertainment was the reading by Hood Alston from his forthcoming book of poems. The selections were made with discretion, and their repetition was received with applause. Mr. Alston not only has the faculty of writing excellent verse, but with his sympathetic voice and earnest manner has the power of interpreting in a manner that enables an audience to appreciate its beauties.

Principles of More Consequences than Men.

It has been insisted by the true Democracy of this country ever since the foundation of the government, that a specie currency was the only safe medium for doing business—either gold and silver coin or paper convertible into hard money, at par, on presentation. And that is the ground our party occupies to-day, and we trust will continue to hold. The general good of the country demands it, the stability of business and property values requires it, and our credit with foreign nations also depends largely upon it. During the years of greenbacks we have seen how unstable and fluctuating all values have been, until the people have become sick and tired of a currency that has no value in itself, and now demand something more substantial—a specie basis. Had the Democracy of Ohio stuck to this they would doubtless have won in the late contest, as the people had shown in the previous election that the Democratic was the only party to which they could look for reform in the abuses of the Government, and had entrusted it with the reins of State. A few "inflationists" got control of the party for the time in that State and incorporated that rotten plank into the Democratic platform. But the people would not sustain the candidates placed upon it. They were determined to rebuke the inflationists at the polls, and the result was that the Republican candidates, who took advantage of this weak point on the part of the Democrats, were elected, though by a small majority. We are not surprised. Democrats everywhere seem to have expected just such a result. It is far better that a correct principle should be sustained than that any particular set of men should be elected to office. And taking this view of the matter, the Conservatives of New Orleans—so the telegraph informed us immediately after the election—vied with the Republicans in congratulations over the defeat of the inflation heresy. So felt the Democrats throughout the country, East and West, North and South.

The Los Angeles Herald very sensibly refers to the subject in this wise: "The most bitter enemy of Republican institutions must see in this repudiation of the inflation theory a striking proof of the wisdom and virtue of the masses. In a most delicate position where it might have been plausibly argued that the success of the Democratic party was of more consequence than the defeat of a bad principle dragged into a State platform and wholly irrelevant; and on a question which is the most obtuse that can possibly come before a people, Ohio has acted as became that commonwealth, and as was hoped by the best and ablest men in the land. Let this be a solemn warning to the Democracy. Let it impress upon the leaders of the party that is looked up to as the only one to guide the nation out of its present misfortunes, that the American public cannot be imposed upon by political tricksters, and that principles and not men will gain their allegiance; that the better elements of this country will not follow blindly the lead of any of the 'war horses,' and that the masses are not only sufficiently informed as to their true interests but even more intelligent than most of the political 'hacks' who are endeavoring to guide them."

TAX LEVY.—The Stanislaus News publishes a list of twenty different counties, giving the tax levy for each for 1875. We copy it as showing the standing of each by comparison in this respect. It will be seen that Yolo's rate is \$1.60 to the \$100, and that only three in the list are lower—San Joaquin at \$1.25; Placer, at \$1.30; and Sonoma at \$1.50. Colusa's rate is the same as ours, while the rest of them run away above:

Amador	\$2.00
Alpine	2.05
Calaveras	2.10
Colusa	1.60
Contra Costa	1.70
De Yuma	1.75
Kern	2.25
Monterey	2.30
Mendocino	1.80
Mariposa	2.35
Placer	1.30
Stanislaus	1.40
Santa Clara	1.30
Siskiyou	1.75
Sonoma	1.50
San Joaquin	1.25
Tulare	1.60
Yolo	1.60

BAPTIST COLLEGE.—The Dixon Tribune says that at the meeting of the Baptist Association, held in San Jose, last week, a resolution was adopted to appoint a committee to prepare and present to the Board of Trustees of the Baptist College, now located at Vacaville, asking them to extend an offer to the State at large, to locate the College at the place which will give the most money, and can show the best record of health, and the best state of morals. We understand that out of the twenty-two members constituting the Board of Trustees, there are at least fifteen in favor of removal from Vacaville.

PALACE HOTEL.—We have received from Bradley & Rulofson, San Francisco, a splendid cabinet size photograph of the great Palace Hotel, with a full description attached of the building, its locality, connections, attachments, etc. Bradley & Rulofson were awarded the national gold medal for the best photographs in the United States, and the Vienna medal for the best in the world.

A DEMOCRATIC VICTORY.—We have not the means of ascertaining just how the Judicial election resulted in all the districts and counties of the State, but see it stated that the Democracy have elected about three-fourths of all their candidates. If this is the case, it can be claimed as a decided Democratic victory.

Virginia City in Ashes.

On Tuesday last the news was telegraphed to the daily papers that the principal part of the great Nevada mining city, Virginia, had been destroyed by fire.

The fire commenced in a private residence at six o'clock in the morning and in spite of the combined efforts of the fire department and citizens kept extending until two-thirds of the entire town, embracing nearly all the business houses and including some of the most important mining works of the great silver mines were destroyed. The total loss is said to be somewhere about four million dollars. Thousands of people are left destitute, homeless and out of employment. This, just as winter is approaching, makes the situation a very gloomy one, and the country is appealed to for aid for the sufferers. It is extremely fortunate that time was allowed to hoist the laborers from the mines, or the loss of life might have been very great. Piper's Opera House, the Railroad Depot, the Consolidated Virginia hoisting works with the new sixty-stamp mill just completed and the stamp department of the California mill were destroyed, as were also the telegraph office and several churches. The fire also took in its march the offices of the *Territorial Enterprise*, *Evening Chronicle* and *Daily Union*, and many other prominent business and private houses. The area devastated is said to be nearly one hundred acres, more than half of which was compactly built up.

It seems that the water supply was insufficient, and this had induced some of the principal insurance companies to withdraw their business, lessening the amount of loss covered and preventing the saving of much property that might otherwise have been saved. The total amount of insurance is estimated at one million two hundred thousand dollars. The California companies suffer the most heavily, but it is thought that all will be able to meet their liabilities. The effect of this great conflagration will be to check the flow of bullion for a couple of months, but in that time it is hoped all the mines will be in full working order again.

ST. NICHOLAS FOR NOVEMBER.—St. Nicholas begins its third volume with a telling number—fresh, bright, varied, healthy. It contains some twenty-five interesting contributions; it gives us articles from more than a dozen of the best writers in the country. In the excellence and variety of its contents, as a single number it could hardly be surpassed. It crowns a strong story by an instructive and an instructive sketch, or a dainty poem by another. And the artistic merit of the number is equal to the literary. The illustrations generally are very beautiful; the frontispiece reproduction of Sir Joshua Reynolds' portrait of "Penelope Boothby"—is wonderfully fine. Among the most notable of the other illustrations are those to Mr. Brooks's serial by Thomas Moran and W. L. Sheppard, and the very beautiful drawings by Frank Reed, Jack-in-the-Pulpit, The Letter-box and the Riddle-box, with them, as usual, a general fund of amusement; and altogether, the November number of St. Nicholas is one of the best issues of this unequalled magazine for children.

A \$100,000 MORTGAGE.—A land trust mortgage for \$100,000 was filed for record in this city yesterday by Jerome Madden, at the instance of the parties interested. It is made to secure \$100,000 twenty year six per cent bonds about to be issued by the Central Pacific Railroad Company, for the purpose of constructing and equipping its railroad and telegraph line from Roseville to the northern boundary line of the State, and from Lathrop to Visalia. The lands mortgaged are the Congressional grants. The parties of the second part are Charles Crocker and Silas W. Sanders, who are constituted trustees on behalf of the bondholders. The instrument is signed by Leland Stanford, President, and E. H. Miller, Secretary, and Crocker and Sanders therein declare their acceptance of the trust. It is endorsed as having been recorded in the counties of Sacramento, El Dorado, Placer, Klamath, Sutter, Yolo, Butte, Colusa, Butte, Tehama, Shasta, Trinity, Siskiyou and Plumas, in California; Ormsby, Lyon, Storey, Washoe, Elko, Eureka, Lander, Humboldt and Churchill, in Nevada; and Weber, Davis and Box Elder, in Utah.

A VERY ANCIENT WALL in Mississippi—about eight miles from Port Gibson, and one mile from Brandywine Springs, on the place of Mr. O'Quinn, the existence of a great number of blocks of cut stone has been known for an indefinite time, and the people in the neighborhood have used them for props for their houses. Mr. James Gage, Jr., went out there a few days ago to explore, and he found a wall about three feet long, by about twenty inches square, resembling in shape a bit of soap. It is probably a native sandstone. Mr. Gage took this block himself from beneath the roots of a large pine tree. It formed a portion of a wall about twenty feet broad on the top, which Mr. Gage traced for a distance of two hundred and fifty yards. The inference that one would naturally draw from this superficial view is that this must have been a city wall, but deep exploration might show it to be a portion of a fort, temple or other building. Anyway, its antiquity is probably immense, antedating the history of the red men—Port Gibson Standard.

CHANGING A CONTINENT.—They are hard at work in England to transform the Western half of the great African desert of Sahara into an inland sea. It is that portion of it called by geographers El Juf, extending from the southeastern spurs of the Atlas Mountains to Timbuctoo, and covering an area of 30,000 square miles—about seven times the size of the State of New York. All that is required is the deepening of the channel of the river Belta, which will furnish a canal from the mouth to the desert, and let in the waters of the Atlantic upon the arid waste to a depth of from 500 to 750 feet. But there is a slight objection to the plan. The mild climate of Southern Europe is caused by the hot and dry winds that come from Africa over the heated sandy plains of Sahara. If the latter were turned into a lake, the winds would be cool and moist, changing the temperature of Spain and Italy, and making all Europe possibly as frigid as Iceland and Spitzbergen. What then?

The U. S. Supreme Court on the Woman-Suffrage Question.

In the Supreme Court of the United States at Washington, Oct. 4, in the case of Virginia L. Minor against Francis Minor, her husband, plaintiffs in error vs. Reese Heppesett, in error to the effect that the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution does not confer upon women the right to vote. The court affirms in the decision that women have always been considered citizens under the Constitution and entitled to all the privileges and immunities of citizenship, but in the admission of this general principle the court decides that suffrage is not one of the privileges and immunities of the citizen, and that it is nowhere made so in express terms, and even further than this that suffrage was not coextensive with the citizenship of the States at the time of its adoption. Applying these general facts to the constitutional amendments, the court says that the framers of the Fourteenth Amendment never contemplated that it conferred the right of suffrage even upon the colored persons because it invested them with citizenship, and taking this view, they framed the Fifteenth Amendment to prevent any State denying them the right of suffrage because of race, color, or previous condition of servitude. Upon this point the court said:

"The Fourteenth Amendment had already provided that no State should make or enforce any law which should abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States. If suffrage was one of these privileges or immunities, the Constitution to prevent its being denied on account of race, etc.? Nothing is more evident than that the great majority of the States, and if it were already protected, why go through with the form of amending the Constitution to protect a part?"

The decision closes with the following statements:

"Certainly if the courts can consider any question settled this is one. For nearly ninety years the people have acted upon the idea that the Constitution, when it conferred citizenship, did not necessarily confer the right of suffrage. If uniform practice long continued can settle the construction so important an instrument as the Constitution of the United States can be so easily changed. It has been done here. Our province is to decide what the law is, not to declare what it should be. We have given this case the careful consideration its importance demands. If the law is wrong it ought to be changed, but the power for that is not in us. The arguments addressed to us bearing upon such a view of the subject may perhaps be sufficient to induce those having the power to make the alteration, but they ought not to be permitted to influence our judgment in determining the present rights of the parties litigant before us. No argument as to women's need of suffrage can be considered. We can only act upon their rights as they exist. It is not for us to look at the hardship of withholding the right to vote from women, and it is within the power of a State to withhold."

The officers of the Central Pacific Railroad company are trying to stock all the waters of the State with choice fish.

New Advertisements.

Selling Off at Cost

TO CLOSE BUSINESS!

The undersigned have determined to close out their General Merchandise business

IN CACHEVILLE.

And will sell off during the next thirty days, at cost, the entire stock of a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes,

A Large Stock of

CLOTHING,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

Patent Medicines, Etc., Etc.

All parties knowing themselves to be indebted to us are requested to come forward and settle their accounts.

HALAL & PENDEGAST.

CACHEVILLE, Oct. 20th, 1875. oc20-1m

GEO. STECK PIANOS

Took the only Gold Medal at Vienna, 1874. Mahushek Pianos, and all other makes of Pianos, at lowest prices.

PIANOS TO RENT.

Call on **JOHN F. COOPER,**

Corner of Sixth and I Streets, oc20 SACRAMENTO.

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING!

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Has opened rooms one door east of the Post Office, where she is prepared to do all kinds of Dressmaking. Fairness, respectability, and special attention paid to cutting and fitting for the country. Goods guaranteed. oc20-3m

Taxes for 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State and County Taxes for the year 1875, are now due and payable, and that in the law in regard to their collection will be strictly enforced. I will attend to the following places in the respective townships on the days named, and will be prepared to receive the taxes and give receipts therefor to all who may apply, and on the other days till Jan. 1st, 1876, inclusive, at my office, Woodland, Meritt's, at Brick School House, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 18th and 19th, and Washington, at Rowan's Hotel, Friday, November 20th and Saturday, November 21st. Return Landings at Hoy's Hotel, Monday, November 15th. Fourth Grange, at Enis's Store, Tuesday, November 16th. Fourth Grange, at Enis's Store, Tuesday, November 16th. West Cottonwood, at Lang's, Thursday, November 18th. East Cottonwood, at Hilliker's Hotel, Friday, November 19th. Buckeye, at Winters' Postoffice, Monday, November 22nd. Davisville, at Marden's Hotel, Tuesday, November 23rd and Wednesday, Nov. 24th. West Grange, at Harmon's & Co's Store, Thursday, November 25th. Cacheville, at Spencer's Hotel, Friday, Nov. 26th. Quicksilver, at Store, Saturday, Nov. 27th. All taxes not paid prior to the first Monday in January, 1876, will become delinquent, and five per cent. will be added to the amount thereof.

J. A. HILLER, Tax-Collector.

Woodland, October 22nd, 1875.

NOTICE.

The attention of Taxpayers is directed to the following decision of Attorney-General John L. Love—"Silver Quarter and Half Dollars are not valid tender for all sums NOT EXCEEDING FIVE DOLLARS. Act of February 23rd, 1875, Vol. 10 Stats. at large, page 165." It is the duty of Tax Collectors in the collection of revenues, to receive in payment of taxes only that which is legal tender.

JOHN L. LOVE,
Attorney-General.

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New Advertisements.

CACHE CREEK MARKET,

COTTONWOOD,

YOLO COUNTY, CAL.

FRED. HEINRICH,

Dealer in all kinds of Meats, Sausage, Lard, Bacon, Hides, Tallow, etc.

To the Citizens of Yolo County and the Public in general:

I would respectfully notify all lovers of good Sausage and Bologna that I have just imported from Ohio a New and Improved Sausage Meat Cutter, not a Grinder, like the style machines.

I am now prepared to take and fill all orders for Sausage of all kinds.

AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

I will manufacture my customers' meat into Sausage at my shop when desired.

COTTONWOOD, October 24th, 1875. oc20-3m

HERMAN KUHN.

OPP. PORTER'S STORE,

MAIN STREET, WOODLAND,

Dealer in all kinds of Tinware, Stoves, Hose,

WATERPIPER AND PUMPS,

Roofing, Plumbing & Gasfitting.

JOBBER OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Agent for the Celebrated Medallion Ranges, the Best in the Market.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

W. C. L. & H. R. R. COMPANY

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A special meeting of the stockholders of the Woodland, Clear Lake & Hamilton Railroad Company

will be held on SATURDAY, the 13th day of October, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court House at Woodland, for the purpose of passing a resolution for the dissolution of the Corporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

E. BYNUM, Secretary.

Dated at Woodland, October 25th, 1875. oc20-1d

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of J. C. Melvin, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Executor of the Estate of J. C. MELVIN, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor at the office of JAMES ORSINI, in the Town of Davisville, in the County of Yolo, California.

Dated at Woodland, October 25th, 1875.

J. C. BALL, Attorney.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Fred. Schultz, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of FRED. SCHULTZ, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at the office of JAMES ORSINI, in the Town of Davisville, in the County of Yolo, California.

Dated at Woodland, October 25th, 1875.

J. C. BALL, Attorney.

Disolution Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Partnership existing between C. S. FROST and E. R. BUSH, dissolved by mutual agreement on the first day of October, 1875. Persons owing accounts will please settle at their earliest convenience.

C. S. FROST, E. R. BUSH.

E. R. BUSH,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW,

WOODLAND, CAL.,

Will practice in the District and Supreme Courts.

C. S. FROST,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Notary Public and Real Estate Agent, Woodland, Cal. Ranches and Town Property for sale.

A Lot of New Sheet Music

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AMONGST THEM:

"That young man across the way"..... 4c

"Silver Threads among the Gold"..... 35c

"You are always young to me"..... 35c

"How the girls came after me"..... 60c

"He kissed her and she kissed him"..... 30c

Creditors' Sale!

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\$15,000

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S. W. RAVELEY,

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Having determined to close out his large stock of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, LIQUORS, TOBACCO, CIGARS, ETC., without resort to cost, within

SIXTY DAYS!

Those wishing bargains will do well to call immediately.

All persons indebted to me must call and settle at once.

Notice to Contractors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Yolo County, under the TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1875, at 1 o'clock P. M., for building a bridge 200 feet in length on the Sacramento River road, on the ranch of English. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Clerk of said Board. Contract price to be paid in warrants on the contingent fund of said County. The right to reject any or all bids.

By order of Board,

W. SCHINDLER, Clerk.

Woodland, October 22nd, 1875.

TARRANT'S SELTZER

THE PHILOSOPHY OF HEADACHE. The stomach, the bowels and the liver are responsible for every pain that racks the head. Regulate, tone and harmonize the action of these allied organs with

Tarrant's Seltzer Aperient

and you cure the complaint at its source.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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A. NICKELSBURG & BRO.

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THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK

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Ever brought to Woodland, consisting of

GENTS' BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS!

Overcoats, and French Cassimere Pants,

OF THE FINEST MATERIAL,

—ALSO—

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES.

This stock was also purchased at crisis prices, and will be sold at prices correspondingly low. Don't fail to call and examine.

J. T. GRIFFITHS & CO.,

248 J STREET,

bet. 5th and 9th - Sacramento,

The Daily Democrat.

Friday, October 29th, 1876.

Solid Men.

God gives us men: a time like this demands strong men, great hearts, true faith, and men who will stand for the right. Men who possess opinion and a will. Men who have the power to do good. Men who can stand before a demagogue, and spurn his treacherous flatteries without winking. Tail men, sun-crowned, who live above the fog. In public duty, and in private thinking. For while the rabble with their thumb-worn creeds. Their large professions and their little deeds. Mingle in selfish strife, to freedom weeps. Wrong rules the land, and waiting justice sleeps.

General Items.

The sun would make 1,300,000 balls like our earth. The total receipts of the State Fair amount, ed to \$23,554.61. The Chinese of California consume nearly a million dollars' worth of opium per year. The rate of taxation in Calaveras county for the present year has been fixed at \$3.10 on the \$100. The amount of sand-paper annually produced in the United States is estimated at 200,000 reams. The aggregate of the tobacco crop this season in the vicinity of Gilroy will amount to \$100,000. Russia is to make the English language the subject of compulsory study in some of her schools. Franklin Pierce was the only President who went out of office with a Cabinet as originally appointed.

An attempt was recently made to assassinate Alex. Montgomery, editor of the Mendocino Democrat. The United States Senatorship has been a family matter among the Bayards of Delaware for seventy years.

The billion product tributary to San Francisco this year will amount to \$65,000,000 to \$70,000,000. We have from reliable authority that Pennsylvania will give the Democratic nominees 10,000 majority in November.

The Government it is said, receives an average income of \$4,000 from the sale of waste paper from the dead-letter office alone. It is stated that the National Banks of the country contributed a million dollars to secure the defeat of the Democracy in Ohio.

A lady in Batavia, herself 91 years of age, has a sister living aged 87, and four brothers who are 89, 87, 85 and 83 years old respectively.

The United States Marshal for Idaho is collecting \$1 per 1,000 feet of lumber and 15 cts. per cord for wood taken from the public domain.

The number of through passengers over the Central Pacific Railroad in the month of September was: East, 3,217; West, 5,735. Total, 8,952.

England has settled claims on account of the Abyssinian war amounting to \$45,000,000, and has others aggregating \$150,000 still under consideration.

Official returns from 70 counties in Ohio and deemed authentic returns from the remaining twelve counties, show Hayes' majority to be 5,540.

There are 202 Lodges of Masons working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of the State of California, and they contain about 12,000 members.

A lump of honey eight feet square and weighing five hundred pounds was taken from the roof of the United States Hotel, Los Angeles, not long since.

Miss Nilsson, at a recent fancy fair, sold a single hair from her head for \$10. And yet it is probable that the entire switch from which she pulled it cost her only \$20.

Eleven persons were drowned by the stranding of the English iron steamer Biscay, recently, off Japan, while on her voyage from Honolulu to Bremen.

A Manchester (Eng.) firm has begun to import calicoes from the United States, and importers say that their quality and appearance are much better than the English.

The normal schools of the country supply only 4,000 trained teachers per annum, while the annual deficiency is estimated by the Bureau of Education at over 125,000.

The great water wheel at Savoy, Isle of Man, said to be the largest in the world, is seventy-two feet six inches in diameter, six feet in breadth, and weighs ten tons.

Two attempts were recently made to blow up the store of Dr. Pond, of Napa, by placing nitroglycerine in the tracks of the window slide and in the sockets of the iron bolts.

The announcement is made that C. F. Perkins of Petaluma, will be Governor Irwin's executive clerk, and T. L. Thompson, of Santa Rosa, will have charge of the State Printing Office.

Hard, horny hands, embrowned by the sun and roughened by labor, are more honorable than white ones that never reached out to help a fellow creature, or added a dollar to the world's wealth.

The Rhodine has recently paid the last installment for the new Catholic Cathedral in New York, which will cost \$50,000. It will be one of the most magnificent in the world. Its principal parts are being erected in Rome and others in St. Beine, France.

It is proposed that everybody, man woman and child, plant an elm, maple, oak or some other good tree on the ground where he lives this year, as a Centennial offering to those who may come after them and sit in the shade of the same.

The railways in India seem to run to bridges. A single English firm has built no less than 10,000 iron bridges for the Bombay, Baroda and Central India and Indian Railway. The last one constructed and sent out is to have an entire length of 9,088 feet.

One of the most interesting personages in the procession which will take place at London when the Prince of Wales is there, will, it is said, be the identical State elephant that carried the Marquis of Salisbury when he was first known as Governor-General a century ago.

It has been proposed to establish a pigeon post between Europe and the United States, and an ocean homing bird of great docility has been discovered in Iceland which is said to be admirably calculated for the purpose, being able to fly at the marvellous rate of 150 miles per hour.

One of the latest discoveries in Pompeii is a small wooden factory, situated near the house where the fresco representing Orpheus was recently discovered. Several charred fragments of tapestry were found in this place, besides various machines for carding and weaving wool.

The Marysville Appeal remarks that there are four hundred California born Chinese in San Francisco, who will be entitled to vote at the next gubernatorial election, and then asks "how long will it be before we will be obliged to put a Chinaman on our tickets to catch the Chinese vote?"

In the District Court at Fresno, Oct. 21st, the motion for a new trial was heard in the case of Grimes, who was found guilty of the murder of Madden and sentenced by the jury last July to imprisonment for life. After hearing arguments a new trial was refused and the prisoner sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Hon. R. T. Davis, eldest son of the late Senator Garrett Davis of Kentucky, and leader of the Bourbon County Bar, was found dead in his bed at Paris, Kentucky, Oct. 21st. His death is supposed to have resulted from overwork and chronic dysentery which he was in the habit of using to relieve pain.

The construction of the East River bridge to connect New York with Brooklyn was commenced January, 1870. It was to be completed in six years, at a cost not exceeding ten millions of dollars. Thus far the work has cost \$5,500,000. Engineer Robinson says the bridge will not be completed before 1879, and at least ten millions more money will be required.

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